



Miserden CE Primary School

Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope all children and their parents enjoyed the snow day last Friday. Thank you for being understanding over the past week as things have changed due to the ice. Hopefully all is back to normal.

Best wishes,

Mrs Lucie Mitchell

Acting Head Teacher

♥ Christian Value of the term is ... Courage ♥

♥ Miserden School raised £89.82 for Children in Need ♥

Attendance:

Well done to all the pupils who got a 100% attendance for December. We will be handing out certificates for 100% attendance in January in Golden Book on Friday. Well done to Damian, Summer, Hermione, Gabriel, Aimee, Hope, Fliss, Finlay, Tayah, Kodie, Caldryn, Ravian, Bella, Harvey, Heidi, Flo, Atticus, Isaac, Lillie, Miya, and Isla. As a school we need to be aiming for 97% attendance overall.

Golden Book:

Don't forget it is Golden Book this Friday – postponed from last week.

If your child has been very courageous lately please let us know and we can give them a certificate.

Earrings:

Can I please remind you that only simple stud earrings may be worn to school. For PE lessons on Tuesdays please either tape your child's earrings or take them out for that day.

Julie:

I am very sad to inform you that Julie Watts, our wonderful cook, is leaving us after half term. Her last day is Thursday 14th February.

We will miss her but she is moving onto pastures new, at a shop much closer to home. Caterlink have appointed Claire Minchin as our new cook. She will be working with Julie over next week to get to know our children.



Governors:

Would you like a fun evening out each term but feel that you are helping the school? If so we are looking for a parent Governor. As a governor you will be expected to attend a Full Board meeting every term and one committee meeting. If you can find the time visits into school help you get a good flavour and understanding of what is happening here. However, this is not compulsory. If you are interested please come and speak to Mrs Mitchell or Mrs Holder.

Nits:

We have had a couple of cases of the dreaded creatures in school. Please check your child's hair frequently. Top Tips to make it easier to manage head lice in schools, parents may carry out the following procedures:

- Check their children's hair for head lice on a weekly basis. Checking with comb (best one: Nitty Gritty Nit Comb).
- Treat your child as soon as possible after lice have been identified. Herdrin is a good example
- Check ALL members of your household regularly.
- Notify the school and the parents of close friends if they have identified head lice in their children, to make sure that if the lice were transmitted, treatment can start as soon as possible.
- Notify the school.
- **Make sure that children with long hair attend school with hair tied back.**



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Please pop on your fridge or calendar ...

Dates for your diary:

16/01/2019	Swimming starts for YR - Y5. Thank you to all our lovely helpers so far!
13/02/2019	Class 1 - Teddy Bears Picnic - Letter has gone out in book bags from Mrs Bartlett
14/02/2019	Class 2 - Intel Trip - Registration 8.45am!!
15/02/2019	INSET DAY!
Half Term	15th - 22nd
25/02/2019	Cross Country Races Y5/Y6
26/02/2019	Cross Country Races Y3/Y4
05/03/2019	Parents Evening, 5pm - 7pm
07/03/2019	Parents Evening, 3.30pm - 5.30pm
18/03/2019	Bikeability, 10am, Y6
19/03/2019	Bikeability, 10am, Y6
20/03/2019	Bikeability, 10am, Y6
28/03/2019	NSPCC Morning, wear green
05/04/2018	Easter Service

Golden Book Dates:

08/02/2019
08/03/2019
22/03/2019

Swimming Dates:

13/02

½ term

27/02

06/03, 13/03, 20/03, 27/03

Outdoor Learning: January – Easter 2019

Feb 8 - Class 1

Feb 15th - INSET

½ term

March 1 - Class 1 March 8 - Class 1

March 15 - Whole School

March 22 - Class 2

March 29 - Class 2 April 5 - Whole School

(Don't forget really, warm clothing for Winter. IT'S COLD OUT THERE!)



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?Breakfast Club at Miserden?



The Governors are looking into whether it is worth starting a breakfast club from 8am every morning. The school would provide a simple breakfast of toast and/or cereal. Obviously there would be a cost per session to cover staffing and breakfast. We would need a minimum of 5 children per session to make it viable. The cost would be £3.50 per child, per session. Please fill in the attached form if you would be interested:

Name of Pupil: _____

Class: _____

Days you would be interested in: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____